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Mrs. J. T. Fox, of Parsons, Kansas, sends us remittance for renewal.

Roy Speaks orders his paper changed from Paonia, Col., to Silverton, Colorado.

FOR SALE.—An elevator, 3x4 feet, is being used in private house. Will hoist four or five hundred pounds. Easily worked.—W. M. Arnold. 13tf

C. H. Burgess and George A. Trigg, of the Richmond Conservator, were in Butler Monday and made us a fraternal call.

"Sleeth" the Insurance Man. 13tf

Wesley Arrasmith, Rich Hill; A. J. Brunt, Butler; W. H. Gerkin, Butler; Mrs. M. A. Maddox, Hannibal, Mo., are among our new subscribers this week.

J. A. Elgin called and favored us with renewal, observing a custom of very many years. Mr. and Mrs. Elgin live in a fine home in Butler, and own a big farm up by Passaic.

"Sleeth" the Insurance Man. 13tf

Elizabeth Chapel Christian church Sunday, Jan. 23, Bible school 10:30 a. m., communion and preaching 3:00 p. m. Important business meeting at close of service.

W. M. Mayfield, Minister.

A. L. Dixon and Miss Ora Jones, both of Butler, were married by Judge Jno. A. Silvers in Probate chambers, on January 6th, 1910. They went at once to Mr. Dixon's farm, a few miles southwest of Butler.

Nat Whipple and Miss Nellie Grace Fuller were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Catterlin in this city, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. C. V. Criss officiating. They are popular young people of our city and will make their home here.

George and Charles Copeland, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived the last of the week on a short visit to their uncle, W. H. Dewesse, southeast of Butler. These young men were on their way home from Panama, where they had been in the interest of their company, the United Fruit Company, of California.

John Johnson was in our office last Thursday night with a large gray eagle he had caught on his place west of town. The bird was a monster, measuring 6 feet 6 inches from tip of wings. The eagle was caught in a trap set for chicken hawks.—Amsterdam Enterprise.

E. F. Edwards, our popular young friend north west of town, called and renewed to 1911. He was reminded that date, Jan. 14th, was the anniversary of his marriage and a further coincidence that his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Edwards and his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore were married on that day of the month.

Mrs. C. W. Smading, writing from Puyallup, Wash., to renew says that snow was on the ground Christmas day, the first they had had for twenty years. The ice froze 4 to 6 inches thick, never known to be so cold before. Puyallup is a city of 6500 population. They have 18 passenger trains a day and an electric line connecting with Tacoma.

Hon. James A. Reed, of Kansas City candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator is billed to make three speeches in Bates county in support of Senator Dickinson for Congress. His dates as fixed are Hume Saturday Jan. 22, 1:00 o'clock p. m., Rich Hill, the same date at night, and at Amsterdam, Wednesday, Jan. 26th at 7:00 p. m. Mr. Reed is one of the ablest lawyers, eloquent and forceful speakers in the west and Bates county people are fortunate in an opportunity to hear him.

County Clerk C. G. Weeks was down from Butler on business and favored the Review with a brief call. Mr. Weeks, like other aspirants for county positions, has made no official announcement as yet, but to-day inadvertently committed himself. He will stand for a renomination for county clerk at the hands of his party in the coming campaign. Mr. Weeks has made as efficient a clerk as the county ever had. He has proven an exceptionally able, untiring and obliging official, and all who have come in contact with him as an official are loud in his praise.—Rich Hill Review.

H. H. Harshaw, the big bone Poland China Hog man, shipped hogs on Monday to Blackford, Va.; Pleasant Valley, Ohio; and Prairie, Oklahoma. On Tuesday he shipped to Opolis, Kansas; Liberty, Mo.; Thornburg, Iowa; Slater, Mo. He has shipped out about 30 hogs in the past two weeks on special orders.

Mary Lou, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clark, died at the home of her grandfather, Philip Heckadon, in Butler, Monday morning at 9 o'clock in convulsion, caused from stomach troubles. The father, W. S. Clark, is in Colorado and was communicated with. Little Mary was a pretty, bright little girl, and the relatives have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Save doctor bills by getting the boy a high cut shoe.—Black & Arnold Clothing Co.

McDowell, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Young, died Tuesday about noon, of stomach troubles. He was a precocious little fellow, and his early taking off is a great sorrow to his parents, who have the sympathy of the entire community. Funeral was conducted by Rev. Jared from the South Methodist Church on Wednesday at 4 o'clock. Interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mr. Clark is right when he says that candidacy of C. C. Dickinson opens the way for all the progressive Democrats and Republicans of the Sixth District to unite in a protest against the controlling order of things in Congress, and by a sweeping victory over the candidate who has aligned himself with the special interests to stimulate activity for reform in the general elections of next fall.—Kansas City Star.

Mrs. Janey Oaks, colored, died at her home in East Butler Thursday, of consumption. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Majors, who had a large family of girls, all of whom died with this dread disease. Janey leaves besides a husband, Arthur Oaks, a number of small children. Funeral services were conducted from the 2nd M. E. church by the pastor Saturday afternoon.

The federal court at Kansas City has made a temporary restraining order against the Bates county court from paying out any Drainage construction funds to remove the rock from the uncompleted portion of the ditch, now in dispute between the county court and A. V. Wills & Sons, which case is now in the federal court. The members of the county court were in Butler Monday and instructed T. J. Smith, attorney for the Drainage Ditch to appear for the court next week, and show cause why the restraining order should be dissolved.

J. J. McKissick died at the home of his son John McKissick, in Kansas City, Monday morning at 5 o'clock. He had been practically helpless for the past five or six years from the effects of a stroke of paralysis. At one time Mr. McKissick was a prominent business man of our city and had considerable property. He suffered from ill health and met financial reverses and had been making his home with a son in Oklahoma, but last summer went to live with John in Kansas City. He leaves four sons: Edward and Linn, of Hutchinson, Kansas; John, of Kansas City and George McKissick, of San Francisco, Cal.

Have you looked at our cut price suits and overcoats.—Black & Arnold Clothing Co.

Our old friend Judge F. M. Steele dropped in to have his dates extended and talk over stirring scenes of early days in Bates county.

J. M. Clark, collector of New Home township, while up settling with the treasurer, favored us pleasantly. He says he is making a very satisfactory collection.

Will Bernhardt had bills printed this week for a sale of his personal effects on January 31st. He expects to move his family to Colorado this spring. See his sale advertisement in another column.

Ed. Corlett dropped in to boost his dates ahead and had bills printed for a big mule sale he will pull off in Butler on January 29th. See his advertisement in another column. He is offering a good bunch of mules for sale.

"Grandma" Stotts, aunt of James and Thomas Lewis, died at their home in west Butler Tuesday morning. She was ninety years old, and had been confined to her bed for the past four years with paralysis. Funeral services were conducted from the home at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. A. S. Gwinn of the Baptist church.

Nels Allman, Democratic committeeman for Homer township, telephoned The Times Wednesday morning that Senator Dickinson had a big meeting at Amoret Tuesday night. In spite of the bad roads farmers had ridden for miles to hear Mr. Dickinson, that he made them a splendid speech and that the Democrats are thoroughly aroused to the importance of turning out and voting on February 1st.

John Carpenter came in from Logan county Kansas where he owns a fine farm, to look after his farm in this county, located on the Butler and Rich Hill road, north of Cornland. John shows the evidence of prosperity. He says he paid for his Kansas land since he has been there, three years. Next year he expects to put in 500 acres of wheat. He said that sounds big here, but it was not considered a big crop there. One man in his county had 5000 acres in wheat last year.

W. O. Atkeson on Monday was appointed Deputy State Hotel Inspector, by State Inspector Col. Tom L. Johnson. The position carries with it a salary of \$100 per month and all expenses. Mr. Atkeson received his commission on Tuesday and his first work was the inspection of the Fraternal Inn. He said he found it in splendid condition. Sewer connection, sanitary conditions, ventilation, and all, even down to the nine feet sheets. He has been assigned to the sixth congressional district, with the counties of Vernon and Barton included.

Folk's Tribute.

In its account of the Democratic Conference in Kansas City, the Kansas City Star said: "Joseph W. Folk began his address with a tribute to the late David A. DeArmond, and to C. C. Dickinson, who is the Democratic nominee for the vacancy in Congress from the Sixth District. When he declared it a Democratic principle to fight graft in the control of cities there were cheers."

QUICK JUSTICE IN CASS.

Two Horse Thieves, Paul and McDonald, Sentenced to Five Years.

The two horse thieves, Paul and McDonald, captured near Old Crescent Hill last week by Deputy Sheriff Stith, and taken back to Cass county, waived preliminary before a Justice of the Peace, were arraigned in circuit court and pleaded guilty and were given 5 years in the penitentiary.

The Cass County Democrat says: "The arraignment in circuit court of two white men on their charge of stealing horses, their pleas of guilty and their sentences of five years each in the Missouri state penitentiary is the climax of a little drama of crime, in which the first act was staged on Sunday night, and the curtain will fall on the last act when the culprits are 'dressed in' at the Jefferson City prison some time on next Saturday. And incidentally, this is about as quick action as has been taken on anything of the kind in this part of the country lately."

"The two sentenced men give the names of C. W. Paul and Charles McDonald. The former is nearly 21 years old, and the latter is about 24 years of age. They are sent up five years for stealing a team of horses from the farm of George F. Scott, near Belton, on last Sunday night. They got away with the team and a spring wagon, but were arrested between Archie and Adrian, across in Bates county, Monday afternoon by Lee Stith, one of the deputy sheriffs in that county."

Frank Bernhardt Dead.

Frank V. Bernhardt died suddenly at his home in Webb City Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock of apoplexy. He was employed at the Wright drug store, had gone to his work after eating dinner, but returned home at 7 o'clock complaining of feeling bad. He lay upon the bed for a few minutes and on attempting to raise up, became dizzy and fell forward on his face and expired. His body was brought to Butler on the noon train Tuesday, accompanied by an escort from the Webb City Elks lodge, composed of Messrs. Moore and Ivey. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Lamb from the Presbyterian Church at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, under auspices of Butler Lodge No. 958, B. P. O. Elks, of which order he was an honored member, and interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

Deceased was the son of the late Franz Bernhardt, was born in Pleasanton, but was brought to Butler by his parents at an early age and spent his whole life here. He married Miss Fannie Brown, Nov. 28th, 1907. He leaves a wife, a little son 15 months old, two brothers, Gus Bernhardt, of Oregon, and Will C. Bernhardt, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Carrie Johnson, of St. Joseph, Mo.

Suddath in Butler.

Hon. Jas. W. Suddath made a scholarly address to a respectable size audience of voters at the court house Saturday evening. Mr. Suddath's address showed study, thought and research. He devoted most of his time to a discussion of the tariff question and made some telling points against the iniquitous Payne-Aldrich law. At the outset he quoted "Cooley on the Constitution," a work recognized by the courts and lawyers, that to levy a tax for protective purposes was unconstitutional, and showed that Congress recognized that decision by making the enacting clause for all tariff bills read "For the purpose of raising revenue," etc. He quoted case after case where manufactured products of this country have been shipped abroad and after paying transportation charges sold in foreign markets cheaper than at home. He showed how the Republican party had proved itself the champion and friend of trusts and special interests as against the masses. He paid a very high tribute to the ability and high moral character of Senator C. C. Dickinson and urged all Democrats to go the polls on February 1st, 1909, and cast their votes for Dickinson.

The Commercial Club of Butler completed its organization on Tuesday evening by the election of the following officers and directors: J. E. Thompson, D. K. Walker, J. B. Walton, Pratt Wyatt, J. A. DeArmond, Wesley Denton, Clyde McFarland. Officers: H. G. Cook, Pres.; T. B. Fager, 1st Vice-Pres.; W. G. Shafer, 2nd Vice-Pres.; A. H. Culver, Treas.

PEOPLES BANK

HAS MADE GOOD

Continues to Grow and Prosper.

A stockholders' meeting of the Peoples Bank was held the 11th inst. The seventeen months which the bank had been in existence closed most satisfactorily to all those interested in it.

A dividend of 4 per cent was declared; \$1500.00 was added to the surplus fund and the furniture and fixture account was reduced \$500.00 which in reality means that \$2000.00 was added to the assets of the bank.

When the bank was but ten months old a dividend at the rate of 8 per cent was declared and \$500.00 was added to the surplus fund. It is something unusual for a bank the age it was to make such a showing.

The success which the Peoples Bank has made has far surpassed the most sanguine expectations of its organizers. The organizers knew well the conditions which had to be met if the bank succeeded. They were cognizant of the fact that the many failures precipitated by the panic of 1907 and other causes prevalent at that time had caused people in general to have a feeling of mistrust and a lack of confidence in banks. They selected as officers and directors some of our best citizens, several of whom had been previously tried in positions of trust. To inspire confidence and to give an additional safeguard to their patrons, they incorporated into the by-laws Section 16—No officer or employee of this bank shall become indebted thereto in any sum by a loan, overdraft or in any other manner. This section has been commented upon by a recent state bank examiner as being one of the best protections afforded the patrons of a bank he had seen. It has also been incorporated into the by-laws of the bank that a committee composed of three directors examine the bank quarterly. As a further means of protection one of the latest burglar-proof safes has been installed. Those desiring it are also afforded fire protection for their valuable papers, etc., free of charge. In fact the bank is endeavoring to protect its customers in every way possible.

It is the purpose of the stockholders of the Peoples Bank to have it at all times just what its name indicates—a bank which can serve everybody who is deserving—the poor and the rich, the depositor and the money borrower. We employ none of the methods of the high financier, but endeavor to move along in a simple and safe way. We believe that economy, conservatism and honest treatment win—such is our motto. Living up to it we have in a short length of time built up a large business. We appreciate the co-operation of our friends and customers, and the good will manifested by the public in general.

Gov. Folk in Butler.

Hon. Jos. W. Folk will address the citizens of Bates county at the court house in Butler on next Tuesday at 1 o'clock p. m. in support of Hon. C. C. Dickinson's candidacy for congress. Governor Folk is an able and eloquent advocate and received a strong support in this county for Governor and for U. S. Senator. He was governor when Mr. Dickinson was in the state senate and notwithstanding he knew that Mr. Dickinson favored another gentleman for Senator still he entrusted his measures in the senate to Mr. Dickinson. Every voter in the county should come out and hear Governor Folk and they may listen to the next President.

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